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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the

application:

Listing of Claims:

1-2.   (Canceled)

3.   (Previously Presented) A method of managing a phone call to a wireless handheld phone

device of a personal digital assistant, wherein the phone call is transmitted from a device in a

mobile phone network, the method comprising:

determining a status of a radio switch of the personal digital assistant;

determining a status of a network coverage of the wireless handheld phone device of the

personal digital assistant; and

managing a phone call to the wireless handheld phone device, wherein managing the

phone call is based on the status of the radio switch and the status of the network coverage,

wherein the managing of the phone call to the wireless handheld phone device further comprises

receiving the phone call only if an earplug device is plugged in;

when the earplug device is plugged in:

alerting a user to the phone call; and

silencing a ringer and sending the phone call to a voicemail application when the

user performs an action to initiate a silence routine after being alerted to the phone call,

wherein:

the earplug device is configured to be electrically connected to the wireless handheld

phone device, and

the earplug device is plugged in if the earplug device is electrically connected to the

personal digital assistant and is configured to emit sound waves related to signals received from

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the personal digital assistant.

4-6.   (Canceled)

7.   (Original) The method of Claim 3, further comprising:

        receiving a voicemail notification from the mobile phone network; and

        displaying a voicemail notification message.

8.   (Original) The method of Claim 3, further comprising:

        receiving caller data of the phone call, wherein the caller data includes information on a

phone number associated with the phone call, and information on a name associated with the

phone number; and

        displaying an incoming message, wherein the incoming message includes information

related to the caller data.

9.   (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 8, wherein the information on the phone

number is identifiable or unidentifiable, and wherein the information on the name is identifiable

or unidentifiable.

10-11. (Canceled)

12.   (Original) The method of Claim 3, further comprising:

        suspending a current application other than a call device, wherein the call device is

configured to be active if the phone call is being answered; and

        initiating the call device.

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13.   (Previously Presented) A personal digital assistant including a wireless handheld phone

device, the wireless handheld phone device comprising:

        a receiver configured to receive a phone call transmitted from a device in a mobile phone

network;

        a radio switch detector configured to determine a status of a radio switch of the personal

digital assistant;

        a network coverage detector configured to determine a status of a network coverage of

the wireless handheld phone device in the mobile phone network; and

        an earplug device detector configured to determine if an earplug device is electrically

connected to the personal digital assistant, wherein:

        the receiver is configured to receive the phone call only when the earplug device detector

determines that the earplug device is electrically connected to the personal digital assistant,

        when the earplug device detector determines that the earplug is electrically connected to

the personal digital assistant, the wireless handheld phone device is further configured to:

                alert a user to the phone call; and

                silence a ringer and send the phone call to a voicemail application when the user

                performs an action to initiate a silence routine after being alerted to the phone call.

14.   (Canceled)

15.   (Original) The personal digital assistant of Claim 13, further comprising:

        a display device; and

        a tap recognizer connected to the display device, wherein the tap recognizer is configured

to initiate a voicemail application.

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16.   (Original) The personal digital assistant of Claim 13, further comprising:

a display device; and

a tap recognizer connected to the display device, wherein the tap recognizer is configured

to answer the phone call and to initiate a call application.

17.   (Previously Presented) A computer-readable medium carrying one or more sequences of

one or more instructions for managing a phone call to a wireless handheld phone device of a

personal digital assistant, the one or more sequences of one or more instructions including

instructions which, when executed by one or more processors, cause the one or more processors

to perform:

determining a status of a radio switch of the personal digital assistant; and

determining a status of a network coverage of the wireless handheld phone device of

the personal digital assistant; and

determining a status of an earplug device, wherein the earplug device is configured to be

electrically connected to the wireless handheld phone device;

when the earplug device is determined to be plugged in:

alerting a user to the phone call, and

silencing a ringer and sending the phone call to a voicemail application when the

user performs an action to initiate a silence routine after being alerted to the phone call,

wherein:

if the earplug device is plugged in, the earplug device is electrically connected to the

personal digital assistant and is configured to emit sound waves related to signals received from

the wireless handheld phone device of the personal digital assistant, and

the wireless handheld device is capable of receiving the phone call only when the status

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of the earplug device is determined to be electrically connected to the wireless handheld phone

device.

18.   (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as recited in Claim 17, wherein if

the radio switch is on, the wireless handheld phone device is capable of receiving the phone call,

and wherein if the network coverage is adequate, the signal strength of the phone call is

sufficient for the wireless handheld phone device to maintain a connection with the mobile

phone network.

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19-20. (Canceled)

21.   (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as recited in Claim 17, wherein

the instructions further cause the processor to carry out:

    receiving a voicemail notification from the mobile phone network; and

    displaying a voicemail notification message.

22.   (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as recited in Claim 17, wherein

the instructions further cause the processor to carry out:

    receiving caller data of the phone call, wherein the caller data includes information on a

phone number associated with the phone call, and information on a name associated with the

phone number; and

    displaying an incoming message, wherein the incoming message includes information

related to the caller data.

23.   (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as recited in Claim 22, wherein

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the information on the phone number is identifiable or unidentifiable, and wherein the

information on the name is identifiable or unidentifiable.

24-25. (Canceled)

26.   (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as recited in Claim 17, wherein

the instructions further cause the processor to carry out:

        suspending a current application other than a call device, wherein the call device is

configured to be active if the phone call is being answered; and

        initiating the call device.

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